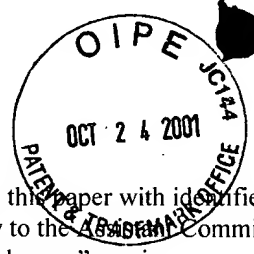
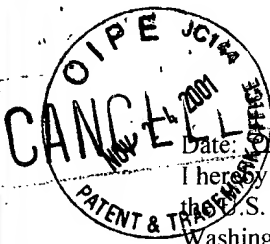


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Dear Sir:

In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application dated August 28, 2001, enclosed for filing is an executed Declaration and Power of Attorney for the above-identified patent application.

Also enclosed is our check in the amount of \$480.00, covering the surcharge of \$65.00 for late filing of the executed Declaration, the basic filing fee of \$370.00, and the extra claims fee of \$45.00 for small entity. In the event that any additional fees are due with this paper, please charge Deposit Account No. 50-0925. This paper is filed in duplicate

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